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IRS NATIONAL PROBLEM SOLVING DAY SET FOR NOVEMBER 3

WASHINGTON – The Internal Revenue Service will hold a Problem Solving Day on Saturday, November 3, especially for taxpayers who need to resolve federal tax issues and can't take advantage of weekday problem-solving service.

"This is a special day for taxpayers who need help," said IRS Commissioner Charles O. Rossotti. "It's one more way the IRS goes the extra mile to help taxpayers."

Nationwide, 46 IRS Taxpayer Assistance Centers will be open from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. local time, so that taxpayers or their representatives can meet individually with IRS experts dedicated to resolving long-standing problems. IRS decision-makers will be on-site to expedite solutions.

For the Saturday event, taxpayers are encouraged to schedule their appointments as soon as possible by calling toll-free: 1-800-829-1040. However, taxpayers without an appointment are welcome to attend.

"People who can't make problem-solving appointments for our regular weekday service tell us they appreciate this extra opportunity to have their tax accounts straightened out," said Jerry Heschel, IRS Director of Field Assistance."

Problem Solving Saturday locations are available by calling 1-800-829-1040 or visiting www.irs.gov.

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[Editors, please note the attached list of Problem Solving Day locations.]

IRS Problem Solving Day Locations, Saturday, November 3, 2001

474 South Court St., Room 700, Montgomery, AL 36104 Alabama 949 E. 36th Ave, Room 101, Anchorage, AK 99508 Alaska 300 West Congress Street Tucson, AZ 85701 Arizona 4905 Old Greenwood Road, Ft. Smith, AR 72903 Arkansas 1301 Clay Street 1st floor, Oakland, CA 94612 California 300 North Los Angles Street, Los Angeles CA, 90012 California Dominion Plaza, 600 17th Street, Denver, CO 80202 Colorado Connecticut 150 Court Street, 4th Floor, New Haven, CT 06510 3848 W. Columbus Drive, Tampa, FL 33607 Florida

Georgia 2743 Perimeter Pkwy, Bldg 200, Suite 420, Augusta, GA 30909 Hawaii 300 Ala Moana Blvd, H214, Room 1-128, Honolulu, HI 96850 Iowa 210 Walnut Street 1st Floor - Room 147 - Des Moines, IA 50309

51 SW First Avenue, 7th Floor, Miami, FL 33130

Illinois 320 West Washington, Springfield, IL 62701 Indiana 1415 Directors Row, Ft. Wayne, IN 46808 Kansas 271 West 3rd St. North, Wichita, KS 67202 Kentucky 1500 Leestown Road, Lexington, KY 40511

Florida

Louisiana Afton Villa Office Condominiums, 3535 South Sherwood Forest Blvd., Suite 257, Baton Rouge, LA 70816

Maryland 31 Hopkins Plaza, Baltimore, MD 21201

Massachusetts Government Center Plaza, 15 New Sudbury St., JFK Building, 7th Floor, Boston, MA 02203

Michigan 4901 Town Center, Saginaw, MI 48604

Minnesota BLN Office Park, Suite 239, 2001 Killebrew Drive, Bloomington MN 55425 Mississippi Oak Lane Professional Center, 15521 Oak Lane, Gulfport, MS 39503

Missouri 1222 Spruce Street, St. Louis, MO 63101-2839 Montana 501 Central Avenue, 3rd Floor, Great Falls, MT 59403

Nebraska US Courthouse, Room 160, 100 Centennial Mall North, Lincoln, NE 68508

Nevada 4750 West Oakey Blvd., Las Vegas, NV 89102 New Jersey 200 Sheffield Street, Mountainside, NJ 07092 New Mexico 5338 Montgomery St, N.E. Albuquerque, NM 87109

New York 110 West 44th Street, New York, NY 10036

New York 10 Metrotech Center, 625 Fulton Street, Brooklyn, NY 11201

New York Leo O'Brien Federal Building, Clinton Ave and North Pearl St., Albany, NY 12207

North Carolina 320 Federal Place, Greensboro, NC 27401

North Dakota Federal Building, 657 2nd Avenue, North, Room 470, Fargo, ND 58107

Ohio 1240 E 9th Street, Cleveland, OH 44199

Oklahoma 1645 South 101st. East Avenue, Suite 226, Tulsa, OK 74128-4629

Oregon 530 Center St., N.E., Salem, OR 97301 Pennsylvania 600 Arch Street, Philadelphia, PA 19106 South Carolina 1835 Assembly Street, Columbia, SC 29201

Tennessee 5740 Uptain Road, Suite 7800, Chattanooga, TN 37411

Texas Alliance Tower, 8701 South Gessner, 1st. Floor, Houston, TX 77074

Texas 700 East San Antonio - Room C101 - El Paso, TX 79901

Virginia 400 North 8th Street, Richmond, VA 23240
Washington 915 2nd Ave, Room 456 Seattle, WA 98174
West Virginia 425 Juliana Street, Parkersburg, WV 26101
Wisconsin 1901 East Capital Drive, Appleton, WI 54911